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Lacoste Laconics.

Mr. Louis Salzman was a business visitor in the Alamo City the first of the week.

Mrs. Geo. Mangold and daughter, Miss Perpetua, returned to Castroville after a pleasant visit to relatives here.

Joe Droitcourt and family spent several days with Eugene Jungman and family at Potranco.

Mrs. Theresa Mangold was a Castroville visitor one day this week.

Mrs. Chas. Halty was a pleasant visitor to the Alamo City Monday.

Mr. Joe Droitcourt and family are visiting relatives at Hondo and D'Amico this week.

Mr. Adolph Reyman of San Antonio was the guest of homefolks Sunday.

Mrs. M. Tanner and children moved from the Boehme residence to the Mangold residence, in the southwest part of town Tuesday.

Mrs. Otto Biediger and children of San Antonio paid a visit to relatives here a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bohl were San Antonio visitors one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hy. Mangold were the guests of relatives at Noonan the past week.

Mr. Hy. Wurzbach of Cliff was here on business Monday.

A family reunion was given by Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jungman at their home Sunday. The afternoon was pleasantly spent in card playing, conversation and singing. Refreshments were served and a fine keg of "servasa" was on tap which was greatly enjoyed by one and all. Those present were: Mesdames Theresa Mangold, Grandma Jungman, Grandma Mangold, Wm. Jungman and family, Eugene Jungman and family, Louis Gross and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hitzfelder, Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jungman, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kaufman, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Jungman, Misses Perpetua Mangold, Helen Jungman, Regina and Elenora Mangold, Lizzie Kaufman; Messrs. J. L. and R. J. Mangold, Herman Jungman and Adolph Reyman.

Mr. Wm. Jungman and family spent

the day Tuesday at the Medina dam.

Mr. Geo. Schuehle is the guest of homefolks at Hondo this week.

Come one, come all to the calico ball at Lacoste W. O. W. Hall Saturday, June the 26th, 1915. A good time is in store for everybody, so don't fail to come.

Lacoste, June 22, 1915.

To Search for Oil.

Whether or not oil exists in this section in paying quantities will probably be demonstrated at an early day. As every one knows that is at all familiar with this county, there are a large number of shallow wells in which oil has been found in sufficient quantities to render the water unfit for household use, and in some instances the water has been too strongly impregnated with oil to make it of use for stock purposes, all of which makes some of our people believe there is a valuable oil field in this vicinity. The question that now agitates our people is, where is the oil field located?

The advent of oil prospectors in this vicinity the past week has revived interest in oil probabilities and it now looks as though a systematic effort will be made in this vicinity and it will probably not be a great while before it will be definitely determined whether or not oil exists here in paying quantities, as leases are being signed up and we suppose drilling will shortly commence.

The Anvil Herald will endeavor to keep its readers advised on this latest oil activity as it develops.

Hondo Summer Normal.

The enrollment of the Hondo Summer Normal has reached the one hundred mark, and others will enroll next week.

Applicants for certificates may enter as late as June 29th, and yet attend the required twenty days for the examination privilege.

A strong faculty, an intelligent student body and a pleasant location makes the Hondo Summer Normal one of the best in the state.

Oefinger-Bippert.

Married, at the German Lutheran church, Castroville, Texas, Thursday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock, Rev. Walter Kralik officiating, Mr. Arnold G. Oefinger of Portales, New Mexico, and Miss Meda Bippert of the Sauz neighborhood.

Both these young people are well known in this section, both being born and raised in this county. The groom has a large circle of friends in Hondo, he having made his home here up to a few years ago, being employed in one of our leading mercantile establishments.

The bride is the comely daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Bippert of the Sauz neighborhood, and is universally popular with all the people among whom she grew to lovely young womanhood.

The happy young couple passed through Hondo yesterday morning on the Sunset Limited for Clondercort, where, after a few days stay they will proceed to Portales, New Mexico, where they will make their future home.

To the happy couple the Anvil Herald, in connection with a host of other friends, extends congratulations and many wishes for a long, happy and prosperous wedded life.

Epworth League Program.

Sunday, June 27, 1915.

Leaded, Sterling Fly.

Subject, "Greeks and Italians Once a Prize—Why Not Now?"

Opening song.

Prayer.

Song.

Scripture reading—Leader's Talk.

Story, "How Olga Came to America," Stanton McGary.

Instrumental solo, Annie Callahan.

Talk, "The Boy Who Helped Jesus Feed the Five Thousand," Nettie Woods.

Song.

Benediction.

We have good gasoline irons. Hol-

loway Bros.

To Close July 5th.

July 4th, coming on Sunday, we, the undersigned, agree to close our places of business on July 5th (all day):

Hondo State Bank.

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Sugarman Supply Co.

First National Bank.

Hondo Mercantile Co.

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Carter & Haass.

C. M. Griffith.

Eugen Huesser.

Nester & Schweers, butchers, same

as on Sundays.

A. C. Thallman, butcher, same as on

Sunday.

Beal & Bro., barbers, at 12 o'clock

for balance of day.

T. C. Barnes, barber, at 12 o'clock

for balance of day.

Geo. Carle, Jr.

Boon & Son.

Matt Rath, same as on Sunday.

Hondo Auto Sales Co.

J. H. Meyers & Co.

Citizens' Motor Car Co.

J. W. Ridenour.

Sunrise Lumber Co.

L. A. Mechler & Co.

Hondo Lumber Co.

O. H. Miller.

Methodist Church News.

The subjects for next Sunday's services are as follows: Morning hour, "Christ Relieving Us of Natural Burdens"; evening hour, "Burden Bearing."

JOHN M. ALEXANDER, Pastor.

Business Notice.

This is to notify the public that I have sold my interest in the Hondo Garage and Repair Shop to my former partner, R. A. Carter, and solicit a continuance of the patronage of the public for my successor.

H. V. HAASS, JR.

Sabinal 3—Hondo 4.

The lovers of the grand old game who missed seeing Thursday's game missed the best game of the season, when Jake Miller let Sabinal down with only five hits, one only of which went for an extra base.

Both teams played fast, clean ball, the plays at times being great and coming when a misque meant runs, but defense on both sides was strong in the pinches and double plays cut down many a dangerous rally.

Sabinal was first to score, making theirs in the first, but Hondo went them two better in the second, but Sabinal playing great ball, tied it up in the sixth, in an exciting inning. Hondo intended that Sabinal should go home losers, however, and when Pegues came to bat in the eighth he hit a single through second, Miller advanced him a station and Brown went out, but Speck Beal came through with a nice clean single to right field scoring Pegues. Gray and Filleman made the other outs letting Miller and Beal die on base. Sabinal was unable to do anything during the rest of the game, not even getting dangerous.

The feature of the game was Jake Miller, who besides pitching a real game, was the star with the big stick, getting three hits out of four times up besides scoring one run. This was easily Jake Miller's game, he deserved to win and win he did.

Hondo got nine hits, Sabinal got five, Sabinal made two errors while Hondo was doing the same thing once.

Ezzell was there with his base stealing again, stealing two, and Snow made a circus catch in the run that saved the game, these, with three or four double plays, and about a hundred other incidents of the game, were the features, outside of these there was nothing much doing.

Sabinal has a real ball team, and we predict a record crowd next time they play here.

Batters, Sabinal, Johnson and Koch; Hondo, Miller and Pegues; Umpires Fletcher and T. Holloway.

Next Tuesday the 14th Calvalry from Ft. Clark will be here, so watch for the fireworks. Come out and support the team.

CONTRIBUTED.

The Athletic Carnival.

One of the largest crowds that ever assembled in Hondo was here Tuesday night to see the Athletic Contest at the Airdome. There were people here from all over the county—a total of 865 tickets being sold.

The Welsh-Ritchie prize fight was shown, together with Jess Willard in the "heart punch," other pugilistic pictures were shown and some local fistic artists demonstrated their prowess.

Several funny stunts were pulled off by the boys and created much laughter.

Three reels of other pictures were shown, and the performance seemed to please the audience.

Mr. Martin has a nice park and airdome. It is a credit to the town and the entire community and he deserves the unstinted patronage of the public. He shows nothing but nice, clean pictures, and besides being entertaining, they are instructive and have a good moral.

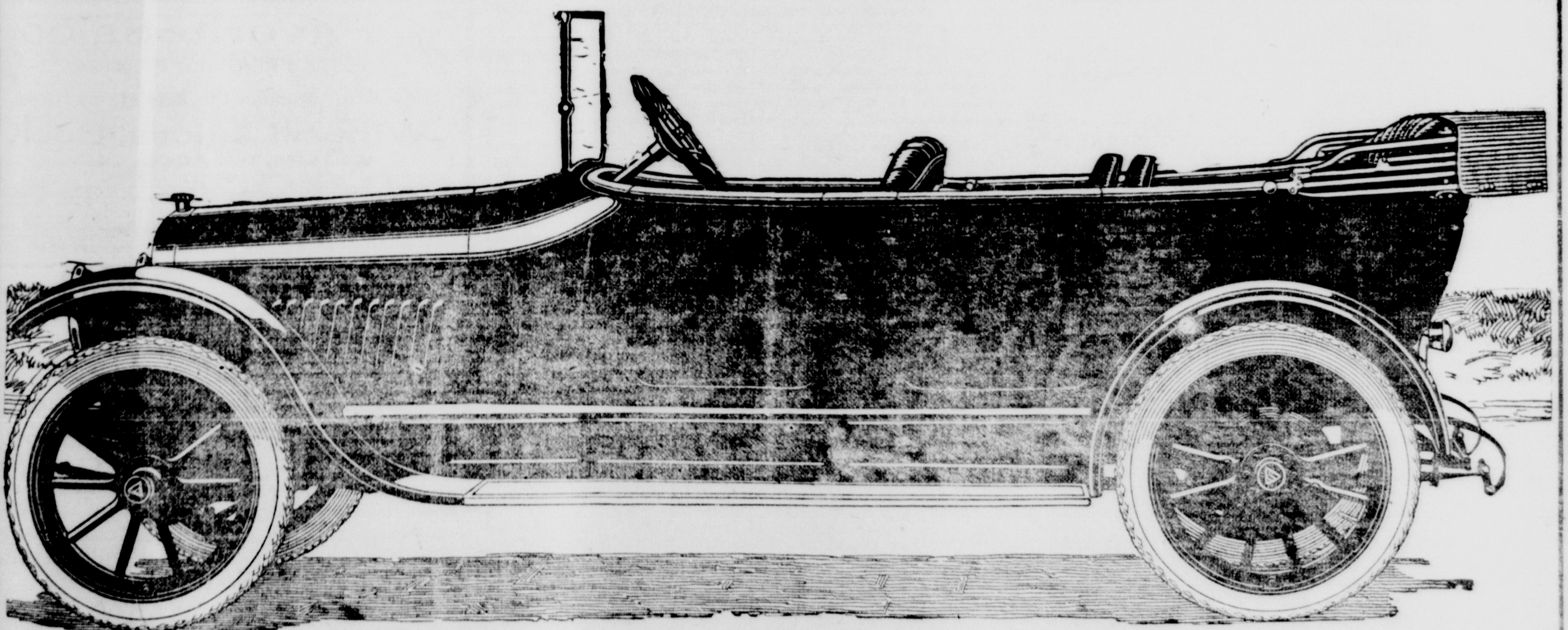
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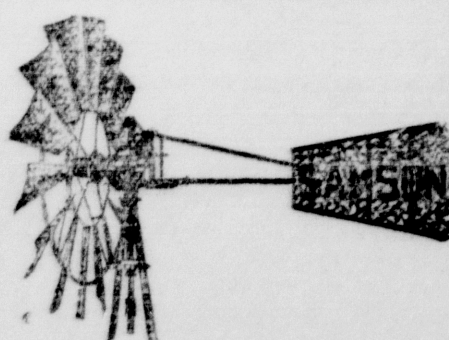
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WEST BOUND

No. 7 Arrives.....12:50 P. M.
No. 9 Arrives.....10:34 P. M.

EAST BOUND

No. 10 Arrives.....6:43 P. M.
No. 8 Arrives.....9:10 A. M.
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A. & M. COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY DIVORCEMENT.

Pertinent Reasons Why Resolution 34 Should be Adopted at the Election on July 24th.

Under the terms of House Joint Resolution No. 34, better known as the Sackett resolution, a part of the permanent university fund is to be transferred to the A. & M. College. It has been so long since the college has shared in the proceeds of this fund that some people have received the impression that it has no interest in that fund. What are the facts?

1. Section 11 of article 7 of the constitution sets aside certain lands for "the University of Texas" and creates the permanent university fund. Section 13 makes the A. & M. College a branch of the university. It follows that the college has an equity in the permanent university fund.

2. Again, by section 15 an additional grant of one million acres is made for "the University of Texas," and this land is specifically appropriated for "the endowment, maintenance and support of said university and its branches." The same conclusion follows.

3. What conclusion is to be drawn from contemporaneous construction? Let us see. The Legislature has evidently taken the view that the permanent university fund was intended in part for the A. & M. College. Out of this fund the following amounts have been appropriated to the college:

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|---------------------------------------|----------|
| By the Sixteenth Legislature (1879) | \$15,000 |
| By the Seventeenth Legislature (1881) | 15,000 |
| By the Eighteenth Legislature (1883) | 10,000 |
| By the Nineteenth Legislature (1885) | 10,000 |
| By the Twentieth Legislature (1887) | 10,000 |

The constitution was adopted in 1876; the A. & M. College was opened in 1876; the university was opened in 1883. There can be no doubt as to the belief of the public men of that time. The conclusion is inevitable: The Agricultural and Mechanical College has an equity in the permanent university fund.

The Sackett resolution recognizes this equity and proposes an apportionment which was considered just and fair by the Thirty-fourth Legislature. The proposed amendment ought to be adopted.

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On July 24 the voters of Texas are to pass upon six constitutional amendments submitted by the Thirty-fourth Legislature. Among them is House Joint Resolution No. 34, better known as the Sackett resolution. It concerns the State institutions for higher education. It deserves the support of all who stand for the advancement of the cause of education. It is agreed by all who are familiar with the subject that the existing provisions of the constitution in regard to these institutions are not satisfactory. The object of this statement is to point out the respects wherein the existing provisions are unsatisfactory, and the ways in which the proposed amendment will bring about better conditions. The constitutional provisions affecting the institutions for higher education are found in article 7, sections 10 to 15. These provisions as they now stand are unsatisfactory.

1. No money can be appropriated out of the general revenue for the erection of buildings for the University of Texas.

In one section of article 7 provision is made for the establishment of a university "of the first class;" in another section the use of money out of the general revenue for buildings for the university is prohibited.

Section 14 now reads:

"The Legislature shall, also, when deemed practicable, establish and provide for the maintenance of a college or branch university for the instruction of the colored youths of the State, to be located by a vote of the people; provided, that no tax shall be levied and no money appropriated out of the general revenue, either for this purpose or for the establishment and erection of the buildings of the University of Texas."

It is passing strange that the inhibition against the use of money out of the general revenue should appear as a "rider" in the section which provides for the establishment of a school for negroes. The urgent need of buildings has been repeatedly stated by the board of regents in the most emphatic terms. The proposed amendment does not give the university any buildings; it merely empowers the Legislature to appropriate money for that purpose. Who would contend that the Legislature ought not to have that power?

2. The relation of the Agricultural and Mechanical College to the University are not satisfactorily determined by the present provisions of the constitution. Nobody knows to a certainty what these relations are. Technically, by section 13, the college is a "branch" of the university. Is it, then, lawful to appropriate money out of the general revenue for buildings for the college? It has generally been held that it is lawful; but at least one Governor has held that it is not. There is the ever-present danger that after the Legislature has voted money for buildings for the college, the appropriation will be vetoed by the Governor on constitutional grounds. Surely this uncertainty ought to be removed.

These two are serious objections to the constitutional provisions as they now stand. The benefits to be secured by the adoption of the proposed amendment are of prime importance.

1. The Legislature will be authorized in its discretion to appropriate money for buildings for the university, the Agricultural and Mechanical College, the College of Industrial Arts and to provide otherwise for their support.

2. The Agricultural and Mechanical College will be separated from the University and made an independent college.

Conditions demand that this be done. In no other way will the college be able to be of the highest service to the people. If the people were just establishing a system of higher institutions they might well consider the plan of erecting one comprehensive institution whose functions should include all the activities now carried on by the existing institutions. There are strong arguments on both sides of that question. But the time for its consideration has passed. The Agricultural and Mechanical College has been in existence thirty-nine years; the University of Texas thirty-two years. Each has its own history, its own traditions, its own individuality, its own ideals. It is too late to think of consolidating them. They are now in effect two independent institutions and have always been so. The technicality under which the college is considered as a part of the University is little more than a legal fiction. It has led to uncertainty and friction and has stood in the way of the full development of the Agricultural and Mechanical College. The ideal for the college is a school of technology of the first rank. It can never become such while it remains a "branch" of another institution, with vexatious questions

continually arising which affect its very existence.

The proposed amendment is in line with the platform demands of the Democrats and Republican parties, and the various industrial organizations, including the Farmers' Congress, Farmers' Union, Farmers' Institutes and bankers' convention.

CENTRAL BOARDS A FAILURE.

Complete separation carries with it separate control, independent boards for each of the three State institutions, known as the University, A. & M. College and the School of Industrial Arts for White Girls. Is this wise? Is it best for our educational system? If it is, then the amendment now under consideration providing for separation ought to be adopted. This amendment will establish each an independent school with its own governing board. The best authorities in the United States on this question are all agreed.

Prof. Arthur Lefevre, in his able work, "The Organization and Administration of a State's Institutions of Higher Education," plainly shows the failure of a central board of control. He says:

"The States that have had any experience with central boards of control are Florida, Georgia, Iowa, Mississippi, Montana, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Dakota and West Virginia. Their practices, in my judgment, represent the worst possible devices. The opinions of men dependent upon the central boards are conflicting, but the short history reveals only warning examples."

Dr. Van Hise, president of the University of Wisconsin, on the same subject, says:

"If there be a central board which is to govern several institutions at different localities, it will be impossible to get the best men of a State to give sufficient time to master the details in reference to them. They would be unwilling to take a position involving responsibility for several institutions at different locations."

Further, if compensation be offered, the fact that the service is not free will make men of the highest type reluctant to take positions on such boards. To illustrate: At the University of Wisconsin, for many years, we had the services of Colonel William F. Vilas. No cash estimate of the value of this service can be made. The larger part of his estate will also finally go to the university. Nothing could have induced Colonel Vilas to accept the place of regent with compensation. If the compensation of a board be small, it will be composed of inferior men; if it be large, places on the board will be sought by unfit men, and it will be extremely difficult to fill the positions without political interference.

"A difficulty with central boards, which has appeared as a result of experience, is that some of the men are interested in one institution and others in another; and this has led to trading back and forth in grants to the different institutions."

"It is possible in such a board to have the special friends and champions of each of the institutions, and then you have the same collisions and collision of interest that you have in a city council or other bodies of similar character."

"Another difficulty with central boards created at one time is that a break is thus made in the continuity of the government of an institution. The recognized aims and practices which have grown up through many years are likely to be ignored by a new board having no knowledge of or experience with the several institutions which they are to govern."

If the amendment separating the A. & M. College from the University is defeated, we may expect the two schools to be placed under one board, thereby augmenting friction and internal strife, which will hinder the growth and development of these two great institutions and retard the advancement of higher education in Texas.

The people of Texas are jealous of the constitution of their State, and should be. No amendment should be adopted until it is discussed before the people. For many years the people of Texas, through the various political conventions, the Farmers' Congress and the Farmers' Union, have demanded an amendment to the constitution separating the A. & M. College from the University. For the first time the Legislature, this year, has complied with the demands of the voters and submitted said amendment. It is to be voted on the 24th of July, and we trust the friends of education throughout the State will vote for it, and thus settle it for all time to come.

House Joint Resolution No. 34, to be voted on the 24th of July, if adopted, will make the A. & M. College an independent institution, and will permanently establish the Industrial School for white girls at Denton. That school at present has no constitutional status and can be moved by a legislative act.

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Chas. Reitzer paid this office a business call Wednesday.
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Ice cream freezers. We have your kind. Holloway Bros.
C. J. Wiemers of Yancey visited in San Antonio Wednesday.
Cane seed for sale 80c per bushel, f. o. b. Hondo. L. Mofield. 23-tf
When you lose your appetite and want to eat, get a Hamburger at Bob's Restaurant.
Taken up—One red sow. Owner can secure same by calling on me and paying the actual expenses. Fritz Niehenhoefer. 47-3t.
Come one, come all, to the grand ball at Wernette's Opera House Monday, July 5, 1915. Courteous treatment assured all. 2t.
For first class cleaning and pressing phone the City Tailor Shop, Phone 125, we will call for your clothes and deliver them promptly.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bohmfalk, who attended the District Conference of the German Methodist Church at Quili, left for their home in Houston Tuesday.
Lost—Between Hondo and the King water hole 1 3/4-4 smooth thread Good Year tire, Baker run. Finder will please return to C. J. Bless' store and receive reward.

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Miss Vera Jones of Sabinal visited homefolks here Sunday.
Adolph Graff visited relatives in San Antonio one day last week.
Robert Hartung has returned from a visit with relatives in D'Hanis.
BALL.—rain Beach Suits cleaned and pressed for 75c. at S. G. Carter's.
For Sale—Two good residences in the south part of Hondo. Apply to C. W. Gilliam. tf.
A nice place for Ladies to dine at "Bob" Callahan's Restaurant, next door to Post Office.
Barbecue meat every Thursday and Saturday at Callahan's Restaurant, next door to Post Office.
Get your fishing rods, reels and minnows from C. R. Gaines. A large assortment just received.
Equip your Ford with a set of Ford Presto Demountable Rims. We have them in stock. Hondo Auto Sales Co.
Father Myers returned Saturday from Fort Worth, where he had been spending a good part of his vacation period.
Hy. V. Haass, county surveyor, with a gang of workmen, is busy this week on his Francisco and Chicon pastures tanking.
Fisk "Red Top" Tires—Four thousand mile guarantee—Adjustment on defective tires made here. Hondo Auto Sales Co.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Callahan and children motored to San Antonio Monday.
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H. B. Hudson, the automobile man, transacted business in San Antonio yesterday.
Mrs. Fritz Wehischlegel and Miss Clara Schweers are visiting relatives at Lockhart.
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H. Hartman, manager of the Sugarman Supply Co., was a San Antonio visitor this week.
Tom Donaghue, bookkeeper at the Hondo Auto Sales Co., was a San Antonio visitor this week.
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Lost—An Eastern Star gold pin, watch attachment, on the streets of Hondo. Reward for its return to the Anvil Herald office. 42-tf
Hy. Oefinger of D'Hanis, who is under treatment for rheumatism, spent a few days in Hondo this week, the guest of Judge H. E. Haass and family.
Mrs. H. E. Haass and daughter, Miss Sylvia, and Miss Maude Allen and Edgar Haass, autoed to Castroville Thursday to attend the Oefinger-Bippert nuptials.
Mail orders promptly attended to. Phone or write us for any and every thing usually sold in a Drug store. W. H. Windrow, Prescription Drug-gist, Hondo.
Hershel Gray and Homer Ezell have returned from Floresville and other eastern points where they had been playing ball with the vanquished Devine team.
For Sale—One Iron Safe, medium size in good shape. Will sell cheap as we have two and don't need but one. For price and particulars see McClaugherty & Horger.
Mrs. Ed. Looney and daughters, Veva and Hylma, who have been here on a visit to Mrs. Looney's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Brieden, left for their home in Teague Thursday morning.

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Earl Starnes was a San Antonio visitor during the week.
Miss Marie Elleman visited friends at D'Hanis during the week.
Mrs. Ed. Looney and children of Teague are visiting relatives here.
Stanley Crabtree has returned home from a prospecting trip in Arizona.
For Sale—A good piano on easy terms. Call at Windrow's drug store.
Joe Radinger and Miss Agnes Sauter of D'Hanis visited here during the week.
Clarence King came in from San Antonio where he had been attending school.
Miss Mary Emma Holloway of La Grange is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. J. Meyer.
Uncle Louis Heath of the Chicon was the guest of his son, L. E. Heath, and family this week.
Ridiculously low prices on tires. See my stock, get the prices and be convinced. C. R. Gaines.
Miss Ruth Hoefling of San Antonio is here on a visit to her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Hornung.
Taken up—Eight head of hogs, black and red spotted. Owner call on me at my ranch and describe them. J. B. Lutz, D'Hanis. 45-4t.
Columbia batteries for sale at the Citizen Motor Car Co. Give them a trial, they are as good as the best and better than the most.
The owner of the range that was left at the Star Tin Shop about a year ago is requested to call, pay charges on same and get the stove. 47-2t
A grand ball will be given at Wernette's Opera House at Castroville on Monday night, July 5, 1915, to which the public is cordially invited. 2t.
Plain sewing done reasonably. Will call for and deliver work. Address postal or call on Mrs. B. W. Johnson, one mile west of town. 46tf.
The Air Dome is now running the complete Universal program. "Run-away June" every Wednesday night and "Zadara" Saturday nights.
A fine lunch, 6 Hamburgs for 25c; 6 Egg Sandwiches, 25c; 6 Ham Sandwiches, 50c; at Robt. Callahan's Restaurant, next door to Post Office.
I have bought Hale's mattress renovator and am prepared to do first class work at reasonable prices. Bring your mattresses to me. J. C. Stracener. 47-1mo.
L. E. Bennett and Eugene Siddall of Natalia was in Hondo Tuesday in attendance on the board of equalization. They were accompanied by Monroe Taylor.
J. F. Dilworth and family left the early part of the week for a visit to relatives and friends at Gonzales, Seguin and other points east. They are making the trip in their car.
H. E. Haass, Attorney at Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Twenty-six years experience.
The first watermelons of the season were on the market here Wednesday. The melon crop is rather late this year and unless rain come soon the chances are it will be rather short also.
Wanted—public school teachers to represent us in their neighborhood. Splendid proposition; work will not interfere with other employment. Draughton's Practical Business College, San Antonio. It
Mrs. Amelia Blank of San Antonio, president of the Rebekah Assembly, visited the lodge in Hondo last Friday and Saturday. She was greatly pleased with the splendid advancement made by the local lodge during the past two years.
Five-gallon honey cans, galvanized guttering, stove pipe, water troughs, one galvanized tank, one galvanized feed box, one 2-burner oil stove, good roofing paint and seal for stopping all kinds of leaks—good for 10 years—and carpenter tools. Will sell all of above at cost. Inquire at the Star Tin Shop. 47-2t
Rev. D. G. Hardt of Graseyville, Bastrop County, who attended the District Conference of the German Conference at Quili last week took advantage of his visit here to visit relatives and friends in this section. Accompanied by his father, H. G. Hardt, he left Monday morning for a visit to the Yancey section of the county.
Ed Renker of Wade, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Burgdorf of Graseyville, Rev. A. E. Konken of New Braunfels, Rev. H. W. Wise of Houston, Rev. O. W. Benoit of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. John Renker, of Wade, Texas, Rev. H. O. Launch, Wade, Texas, and Mr. Mrs. Henry Vordenbaum of San Antonio, who attended the District Conference of the German Methodist Conference at Quili last week, left Monday morning for their respective homes.

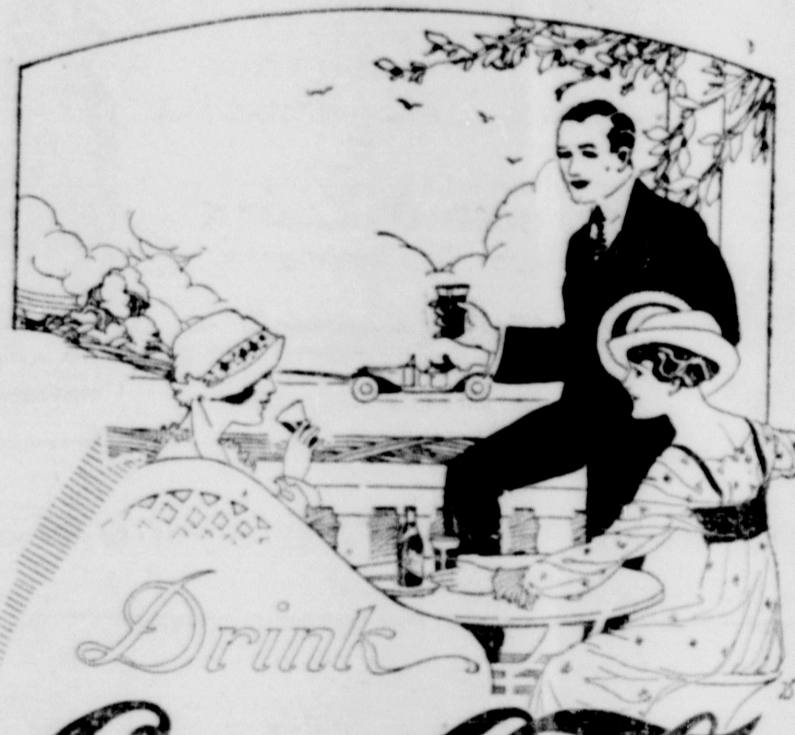


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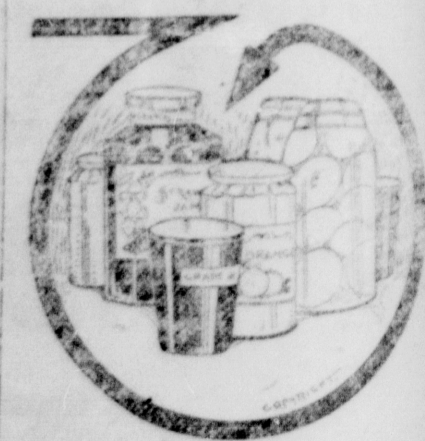
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Mrs. C. J. Bless went to San Antonio Wednesday.

Hy. Decker was a business caller at this office Saturday.

Rev. E. A. Falkenberg was a passenger east Monday.

F. J. Saathoff was a visitor in San Antonio Wednesday.

Rev. Father Myers left Monday morning for San Antonio.

G. A. Oefinger and wife of Yancey went to Potteet Wednesday.

Mrs. J. W. Anderson was a passenger to San Antonio Wednesday.

For Sale—Registered Poland China Pies, both sexes. Frank Heath, El Paso. 47-3t

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Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Borchers of Dunlap were pleasant business callers at this office Tuesday.

Joe Droitcourt was over from Lacombe Tuesday, and while here paid this office a business call.

Mrs. Emil Faseler of Potteet who has been visiting in the Yancey section returned home Wednesday.

Mrs. D. B. McManus of Thomaston is in Hondo, the guest of her parents, Capt. and Mrs. C. W. Stone.

We solicit a share of your automobile repair business. Satisfaction guaranteed. Citizens Motor Car Co.

Miss Doyle Threikill, who has been visiting in Hondo, returned to her home in San Antonio Wednesday.

Mrs. Bickenbach returned to her home in San Antonio Tuesday, after a visit with her mother, Mrs. Helmke.

For Sale—One Player Piano. Used one year. First class condition. Bargain if taken at once. E. W. Martin.

Mrs. Henry Saathoff and children returned home to Yancey after a visit to her mother, Mrs. A. Bohmfalk, and other relatives.

Miss Agnes Bendele came in Wednesday after a two weeks' visit in San Antonio. She was accompanied home by her cousin, Miss Elizabeth Wiedenfeld.

I have two registered Jersey bulls, one and two years old, for sale cheap or will trade for good milk cow or work horse of equal value. Phone Tom Heath.

For Sale, A new five-room house and two large lots in Fly Addition to Hondo. Big barn and outhouses. For price and terms see S. E. Rieber or write him at Tarpley. 4t.

Mrs. Eckenroth of Macdona who has been visiting here, returned home Wednesday. She was accompanied home by Miss Theresa Lebold who will visit in Macdona for a few days.

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Miss Willie Barton of Buda, after a several day's visit to Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Fly and family, left yesterday morning for Luling.

Rev. Pennybacker and family of Seguin, after a visit to Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Alexander, at the parsonage here, returned home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Aug. G. Hornung and daughter, Evelyn, after a visit to their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Hornung, returned to their home in San Antonio Sunday.

Mr. E. W. Lacy and daughters, Mrs. Ella Woolis, Mrs. D. W. Short and Miss Florence, and son, O. E. Lacy, returned Monday night from a family reunion at Gonzales.

In justice court here Saturday the case of the State of Texas vs. G. B. Grant, violating the anti-nepotism law, Mr. Grant was placed under a \$500 bond to await the action of the grand jury.—Devine News.

James Crow, who did missionary work for the Cameron-Muennink cotton packer at Knippa and other points west the early part of the week, left yesterday morning for Marion and other points east on a similar mission.

Miss Paula Hoffman, who was a delegate to the District Conference of the German Methodist church at Quibi last week, and who has since been visiting Mr. Hy. Buss and family and other friends in this section, left yesterday morning for home in Seguin.

C. J. Bless is boring a deep well on his place about two miles north of town. The well is now several hundred feet down and work is progressing satisfactorily. Mr. Bless denies that he is boring for oil, asserting that water is the primary object of his efforts, but admits that an oil seep has been encountered. The drilling outfit has a capacity of 2,000 feet, and we trust he will strike something of value before the limit of his drilling machine is reached.

The county commissioners met Tuesday as a board of equalization to consider complaints registered by the Medina Valley Irrigation Co. against the valuation placed on the company's property by the equalization board.

The company placed a valuation of \$750,000 on the two dams and the canal system. The commissioners, sitting as a board of equalization, raised the valuation \$550,000, fixing the value of the property at \$1,300,000. To this raise the company objects and it was to give the company a hearing that the meeting was held Tuesday. Just what, if any, further steps the company will take in the matter is not known.

Strayed—Two yearling steers branded L. E. J. connected, on the left ribs, one steer branded Q. F., connected, on left rib, and two two-year-old muley heifers, branded R, with half circle over it, all red cattle. A reward will be paid for information of these cattle. Hubert Burger, Phone L. 24 R. 1 long, 1 short. 47-3t.

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Miss Lera Meyer of Ellinger is the guest of her brother, Dr. H. J. Meyer, and family.

Horace King has returned from Georgetown where he had been attending school.

Will Grimsinger left Tuesday for Austin where he will follow the carpenter's trade.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Fly left Thursday morning for San Francisco to see the Exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Droitcourt of Lacombe were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Droitcourt this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Manis and H. V. Haass Jr. left Wednesday for a several weeks' outing at Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed H. Schweers and little daughter were here from San Antonio the latter part of last week guests of relatives and friends.

Mrs. J. A. Williamson and son, Montel, Mrs. H. B. Taylor and son, Harry, and Miss Lucile de Montel were guests of relatives at Castroville Saturday.

Aug. E. Weyand and Frank Westfall went to San Antonio this week and brought out a Saxon Six and a Saxon Roadster for the Citizens Motor Car Co.

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Joe Nester and family, Aug. Schuchle and family, Chas. Schuchle and family, Harm Fricke and wife, Eugen Huesser and wife, George Schuchle, Richard and Ed Schwope of Boerne and "Booty" Bless composed a merry party that spent the fore part of the week up on the Medina fishing. Fish were plentiful and a great time was enjoyed.

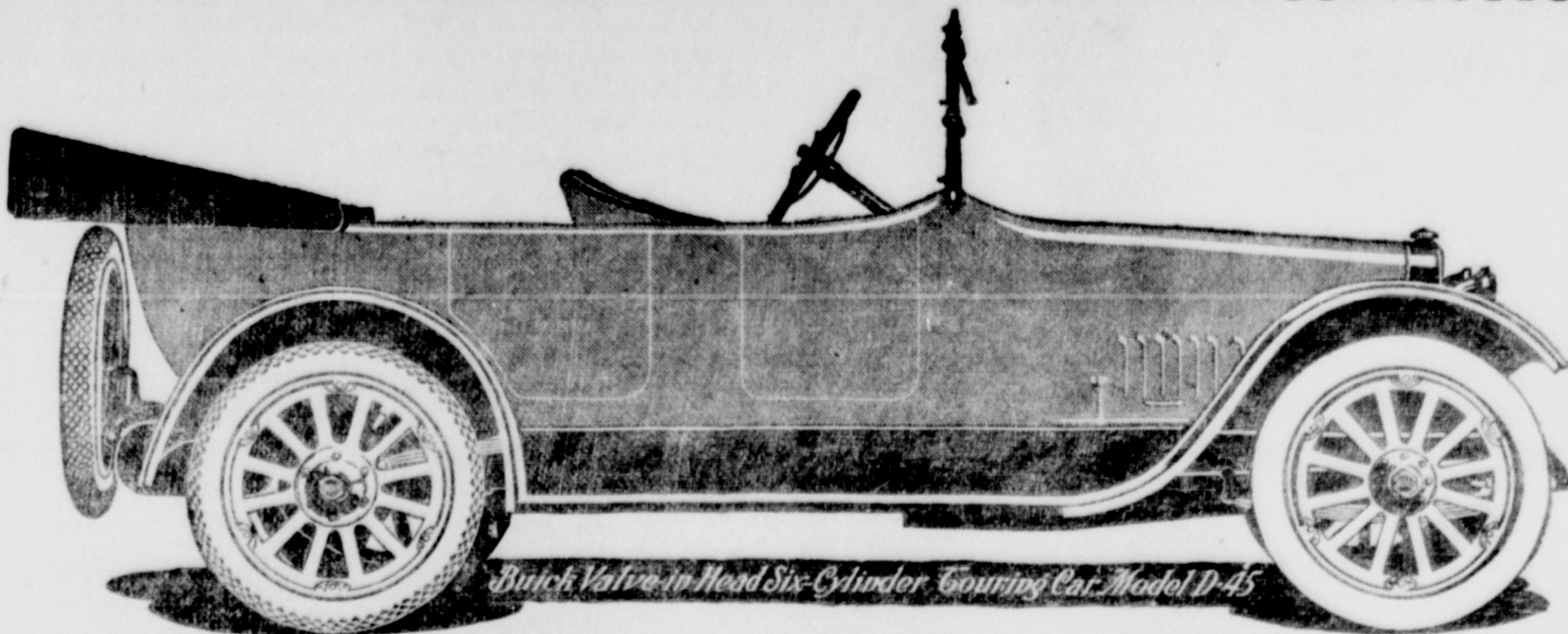
The large Methodist church edifice was crowded to its utmost capacity Sunday night on account of the Children's Day Exercises. Songs and speeches by the Sunday School classes were pleasing features and the little tots all showed good training. Special music was rendered by Miss Annie Callahan on the piano and Miss Irene Saathoff on the violin.

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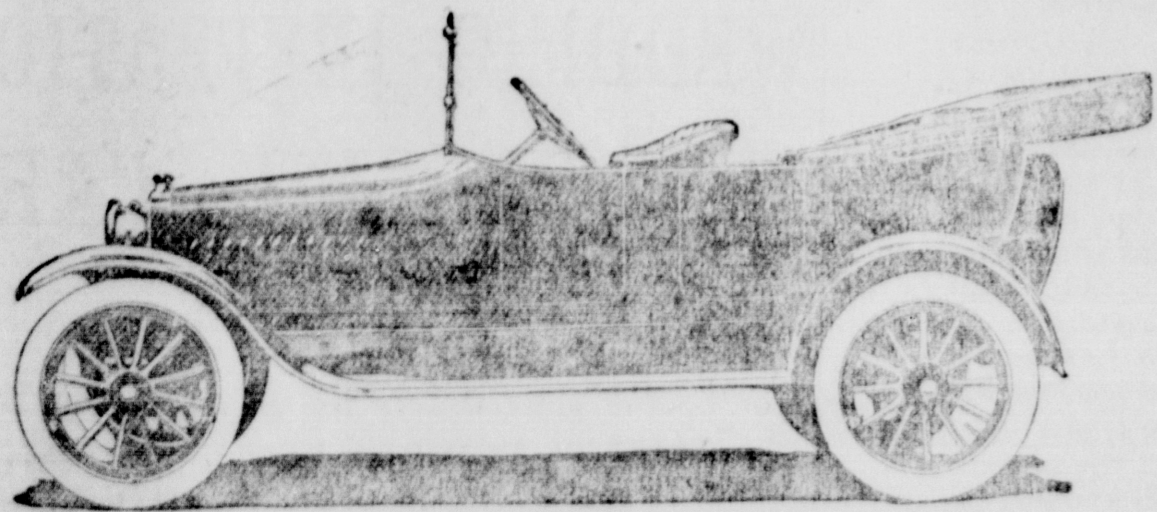
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A Mother's Gift—The Bible.

Remember, love, who gave thee this,
When other days shall come;
When she who had thy earliest kiss
Sleeps in her narrow home.
Remember 'twas a mother gave
The gift to one she'd die to save.

Thy mother sought a pledge of love,
The holiest, for her son
And from the gifts of God above
She chose this Holy one;
She chose for her beloved boy
The source of light and life and joy.

I bid thee keep the gift that when
The parting hour shall come,
We may have hope to meet again
In an eternal home.
Thy precious faith in this shall be
Sweet incense to my memory.

And, should the scoffer in his pride
Laugh that fond faith to scorn,
And bid thee cast the pledge aside
That thou from youth hast borne;
I bid thee pause and ask thy breast
If he or I have love the best.

A mother's blessing on her son
Goes with this Holy thing.
The heart that would enjoy the one
Must to the other cling.
Remember 'tis no idle toy
A mother's gift, my darling boy.

—Anonymous.

Public Education From the Standpoint of the Farmer

By Hon. Fred W. Davis, State Commissioner of Agriculture

My brief experience at the head of the Agricultural Department of our state government has fully confirmed my conviction that the farmers, more than any other class of our citizenship, are vitally interested in an adequate and comprehensive yet concrete system of public education.

A very heavy preponderance of the wealth-producing energy of Texas, which, we are reminded daily by the newspapers, is peculiarly an agricultural state, is domiciled on the farms engaged in the vocation that lies at the base of all prosperity, past, present

and future. The great percentage—44 according to the last report of the State Superintendent of Education—who refuse to take advantage of such facilities as our poorly devised system provides.

There is, in my opinion, no reason for discrimination against the farmer in the matter of providing educational facilities for his children than there is in discriminating against him in the matter of the elective franchise. In every moral attribute he is the peer of the best of every other vocation. He is just as honest, just as truthful, just as patriotic and is just as loyal and law-abiding a citizen as the banker, the lawyer, the doctor, or the merchant, and in fact, is inferior to none of these except as a politician. That he is just as capable of acquiring an education under even adverse conditions is abundantly evidenced by the fact that the majority of our most successful bankers, lawyers, doctors and merchants evolve from the farm. Being in the majority, he pays, under our system of equal and uniform taxation, his just and larger part of the taxes that support the government. Then why should he not enjoy equal privileges of an efficient school system with the resident of the city?

Of all men the farmer ought to be educated. He has harder labor to perform in the prosecution of his vocation, and then he is called upon to confront more adverse forces in his efforts to realize on the products of his labor. Indeed, almost every commodity he produces, every one a commercial necessity, is made the basic factor of speculation, with the pressure on him. He is opposed in interest by every man who stands between him and the consumer—the middleman, the wholesaler, the jobber and the retailer. The first object of these dealers is to get his produce from him at the lowest possible price and transfer to each other for the highest possible price. He needs, with education, to combat these forces.

Experience has demonstrated beyond peradventure that the educated farmer is the best farmer. It has demonstrated that, with the few exceptions necessary to establish the rule, and each of such the beneficiary of fortuitous conditions, he is the only successful farmer. He is the farmer who, starting with nothing, acquires his farm, improves it, cultivates it intelligently and scientifically to the point of producing to the limit of its capacity, and by methods that constantly add to instead of exhaust the producing elements of the soil. He is the farmer who lives in a handsome, well-built and thoroughly equipped house, who has commodious, substantial and well stocked barns, plenty of well-kept farm machinery, good farm stock and vehicles and money in the bank. To accomplish all this he must have education, pertaining directly to his vocation and he must have acquired at least the fundamentals of it in his youth, through the foresight of his parent generation in providing an efficient system of rural schools. Up to the present time he has had no such system.

We boast the largest permanent school fund of any state in the Union. But the State has been almost, if not quite, penurious in providing funds for the operation of its public schools. The report of the United States Commissioner of Education, for 1912-13, assigns Texas the thirty-ninth place among the states in per capita amount apportioned to children within the scholastic age—eight dollars! Only monumental credulity could imagine an efficient school system of nine months maintained on such provision. It is not at all surprising that the rural schools, constituting by far the largest part of the State's edu-

cational system, should have proven vastly inferior to the city schools, conducted as they have been in small, cheap and inconvenient houses, poorly equipped and by underpaid and overworked, and in many cases incompetent teachers, such only as the meagre fund can provide.

But with the passage of the revised rural high school law by the present legislature, and the act providing compulsory school attendance by children within the scholastic age, the probable adoption at the special election in July of the amendment to the constitution authorizing counties by majority vote to create a students loan fund, and the practical certainty of the adoption at the next general election of the proposed constitutional amendment authorizing counties to levy a county school tax not to exceed 50 cents on the \$100 valuation of property, it is believed and hoped that the rural school conditions will be very greatly improved.

Compulsory attendance, and increased funds will not of themselves solve the educational question. Instruction must be practical and ideals fundamentally sound. The curriculum must be differentiated so as to develop the children according to their various capacities and ambitions. Our educational system must meet modern demands and requirements. The ideas taught in the school room must be in direct relationship to the things the children do outside the school room.

It is a bad sign to see people quitting the open country and concentrating in the cities and towns, but regardless of the consequences, just so long as the city has nine months schools, and the country five; just so long as the city has far superior social attractions (mind you I do not say superior society, but superior social attractions); just so long as the city can outbid the country for ambitious young men and women; just so long as our educational ideals are professional and political, the people will continue to leave the open country and concentrate in the centers of population.

Education must meet the fundamental necessities of life or its efforts will be greatly minimized for the want of a true objective. It is a regrettable fact that the graduates of even our higher institutions of learning do not drop smoothly into the various channels of our economic system.

We are spending too much money and energy upon those who attend our higher institutions in proportion to what we are spending on those who lack means, inclination, or ability, to attend our colleges, or universities. The great mass of our people, which is the ruling factor in governmental, social, and industrial affairs, should be the main concern of our educational efforts.

The state and nation should prepare its children to meet life's practical problems. Our strength is measured by the average of our citizenship and not by the extreme. We should be more interested in an educated mass than an educated class. Mexico and Russia have an educated class but the trouble is they haven't an educated mass. Compulsory attendance coupled with practical instruction which should teach the children the things they are to do will advance our nation and strengthen its foundations. Common sense education which seeks the best there is in each individual citizen is the secret of Germany's strength today. Let's quit wearing out bright minds in dealing with technical abstractions and begin using them in helping to solve the everyday affairs of life.

Joe Fohn

Fletcher Davis

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206 acres, mesquite loam land, situated 5 miles north of Devine, about 40 acres rough land, balance all tillable, adjoining Medina Valley Irrigation Co., all fenced and cross fenced, about 100 acres in cultivation, two tenant houses, good well and windmill. Easy terms.

250 acres, two miles north-east of Hondo, 200 acres in cultivation, good six room house, good well, windmill and water-works. A bargain at \$60.00 per acre on easy terms.

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Farmers Organize.
Fletcher Davis, representing The State Department of Agriculture, on Saturday afternoon gave a lecture at the Court House and organized a local Farmers Institute, speaking on farming. Mr. Davis gave a brief outline as to the duties of the officers and the purposes of the organization which will be known here as the "Brackettville Farmer's Institute."
J. F. Ray was elected President, J. Herzog, Jr., Vice President; W. F. Holmes, Secretary; George Bless, entomologist. The names of several of our most prosperous and up-to-date farmers were enrolled as charter members, with the expectations that those who failed to attend will most eagerly do so after they have learned the purposes and the benefits of this organization. There is no charge attached to the membership other than the expenses of stamps, stationery, etc.
The first meeting of this new local organization will take place, Saturday, June 19th, and those of our farmers who have not yet attended are earnestly requested to do so, as the final results will be the welding together of our farmers and bringing to light the best methods of planting, raising and marketing. Therefore it is up to those who have not yet joined to do so at once and be in the game.
The following two delegates were chosen from here to attend the State Farmers Institute to be held at Austin, Texas, July 25th, 26 and 27: D. Ohlenbusch and Hubert Zinsmeister.—Brackett News-Mail.

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Farmers Institute.
The local Farmers' Institute met last Saturday afternoon for the purpose of electing delegates to the State Institute, which meets in Austin July 27, 28 and 29.
Fletcher Davis of Hondo, with the State Department of Agriculture, was present and delivered a most excellent address on diversification.
At the close of Mr. Davis' address, Messrs. Desha Bunton, G. W. Whisenant and M. W. Rogers were re-elected president, vice president and secretary, respectively. E. C. Woods and W. H. Barbee were elected delegates to the State Institute.
Every farmer in the community should become a member of this organization. It costs nothing, and each member gets all the bulletins sent out by the Department, all free of charge. Those who wish these bulletins should send their names to the secretary, Mr. Rogers, for membership at once, so as not to miss any of these valuable treatise on agriculture in all its branches.—Kyle News.

A Mistake Made By Many.
When you suffer pains and aches by day and sleep disturbing bladder weakness by night, feel tired, nervous and run down, the kidneys and bladder should be restored to healthy, strong and regular action. It is a mistake to postpone treatment. Foley Kidney Pills put the kidneys in sound, healthy condition and keep them active and strong. W. H. Windrow, Hondo; Louis Carle, D'Hanis.

Sabinal Sentinel Siftings.
Miss Adella Reinhart and Cecile Braden of San Antonio are visiting Mrs. Jacob Reinhart.
Mrs. Joe Reynolds, who has been visiting relatives here, returned Monday to her home in San Antonio.
Mr. L. C. Honegger says that he has eaten figs off his own tree recently that measured 8 1/2 inches in circumference and that he has some growing that he thinks will beat that. Who next? You will notice that the editor doesn't know about these big figs. He has just been taking folks word for it. There is a mighty good way to convince the editor about such things.

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who is authorized to collect and forward for money due this paper and to whom items intended for this page should be submitted

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Tschirhart and children of Noonan were guests of F. Kilborn and family.
Mrs. Jim Ney and little son and Miss Ella Ney and Miss Della Sauter of D'Hanis visited relatives and friends here.

Mrs. H. B. Taylor and son, Harry, Miss Lucile de Montel of Hondo and Mrs. J. A. Williamson of Oklahoma City were guests of Mesdames Louis Scherrer and Robert de Montel Friday.
Jos Courand and two sons, Joe Jr., and Claud of San Antonio spent Wednesday here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Haass and son, Henry, of Hondo visited relatives here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burell and children of Helotes visited here Saturday.

Mrs. Andrew Haby Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jungman and two daughters, Josephine and Matilda, spent several days in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Steine and children of Dunlay visited relatives and friends here the first of the week.

Grandma Zimmerman returned home after spending six weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Pete Rihn, at Dunlay. Joe Bader and daughters, Miss Mary and Teeka, of Hondo visited here Sunday.

Adolph Holzhaus and family of Elmendorf and Alex Mangold of Bandera spent several days visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Robert de Montel and daughter, Miss Pauline, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wurzbach and children Tuesday.

Little Miss Anne Davis of Hondo is spending the week here.

Mrs. Mary Wernette and little Miss Alice Rihn spent Friday at Riomedina. Mrs. Edwin Haby of Dunlay spent the first of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rihn.

Mr. Bernard FitzSimon is here again after a lengthy stay at school in Arkansas.

Mrs. Cornelia Noonan arrived here Sunday from San Antonio and will spend several weeks visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mann and little son, Oran, have returned from a visit to relatives in D'Hanis.

Mrs. C. H. Frick and two daughters, Miss Ella of San Antonio and Mrs. Forest McNear and three children of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. Schmitt of San Antonio spent Saturday here visiting friends. This was Mrs. Frick's first visit here since they moved away from Castroville 23 years ago.

Louis Christilles of Del Rio was a pleasant Castroville visitor Monday.

A little Mexican boy was bitten by a rattler early Tuesday morning, and though medical aid was tendered, the little fellow died early Wednesday morning. The reptile must have struck a vein. His parents live on the Ambrose Bohl farm on lower Medina.

Wm. Rihn was a San Antonio business visitor the first of the week.

Messrs. Chancey, Reynolds and Callahan of Hondo stopped over a little while, enroute to San Antonio Wednesday.

Col. Jno. B. Wernette celebrated his eightieth anniversary Thursday June 17th. A fine dinner was served, and very much enjoyed. We join in wishing the Col. many happy returns of his natal day.

Jose Wernette and son-in-law, Frank Grashel of San Antonio came out for the birthday celebration Thursday.

County Superintendent W. N. Saathoff and Prof. Kidd of Hondo addressed an audience at the Empire Opera House in behalf of a High School for Castroville.

Messrs. Boog, Garteiser, John and Nic Fohn of D'Hanis passed through our little burg Saturday enroute to San Antonio.

Wm. Renken and family of Noonan moved to our midst Friday. They are occupying Mrs. Wengenroth's residence. Welcome.

Henry Schott of Devine and Joe Weiss Jr. of Noonan were pleasant Castroville visitors Friday.

A number of our young folks attended a dance at Riomedina Saturday night while others went to Dunlay and enjoyed the same sport.

The general (annual) meeting of The Castroville Mutual Fire Association was held Sunday afternoon. The regular routine of business was transacted. Only one change was made in the roster of officers of the Association namely Ed Hans was elected Secretary to succeed Ed Huehner.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Jos. Haby and charming daughters, Misses Emma and Ada, of Utopia are visiting Emil Haegelin and family.

Alex A. Haby of Riomedina and Jos Weiss Sr. of Noonan joins our happy band of readers this week. Thanks.

Messrs. E. R. Pingnot and John Franger Jr. lately of San Antonio, were out to see their Bests Sunday. Castroville, June 21, 1915.

Pleasant Dancing Party.

A very pleasant surprise party was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Keller, at the Sauz on Sunday night, June 20th. A very large crowd was present and everybody seemed to have a most delightful time.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Keller and little daughter, Velma Marie, Adolph Zinsmeyer and family, Max Bippert and family, Wm. Tschirhart and family, Fritz Etter and family, Fritz Tschirhart and family, Emil Mangold and family, John Koenig and family, Joe Mueller and wife, Geo. Ahr and wife, Aug. Keller and Frank Bohl, Misses Helen, Della, and Florentine Keller, Katie and Helen Zinsmeyer, Martha Kempf, Mamie and Hilda Reicherzer, Heddie, Meda and Alma Bippert, Clara and Elfrida Hutzler, Helen Jungmann, Elenora Mangold, Elsie Peuker, Elizabeth Biediger, Irma, Lena and Clara Loessberg, Lena Weynand, Lizzie and Tilda Mechler, Frieda and Ella Etter, Olga Koenig, Lucile Tschirhart, Pauline Haldy and Hedwig Zinsmeyer, Messrs. Emil Bippert, Paul Tschirhart, Henry Franger, Eugene Keller, Herman Jungmann, Harry Hans, Julius Ahr, Jul. Jagge, Anton Haller, Hubert Conrad, John Hawkes, Robert and Adolph Mangold, Paul Loessberg, Paul and Frank Mechler, Oscar Kaufmann, Andrew, Albert and Alfred Kempf, Richard and Frank Zinsmeyer, Albert Halty, Raymond Schott, Joe Haegelin, Aug. Boehme, Arnold Oefinger, Arthur Zimmerman, Edwin Rihn, John and Max Biediger, Robert Groff, Adolph Hutzler, Paul and Fritz Tondre, Tommy Tschirhart, Reinhart Geiger, Fritz Weiblen, George Etter, Emil Mueller, Paul Koenig, Sterl Haby and Mr. Beck.
At 2:30 o'clock, p. m. the "home waltz" was played, which sent everybody to their respective homes, well pleased with their night's enjoyment and hoping to have another such pleasant party in the near future.

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Lecturers to be Here.

To "get results" for the farmer this Department must have the active co-operation of and establish the closest possible relations with the actual farmers and women of the farm homes of the State.

This can be secured only through community organizations. To this end and for the purpose of organizing local institutes, Ed. R. Kone, Ex-Commissioner of Agriculture, and Mrs. E. M. Barrett, representing this Department, will lecture at the following places on the dates, and the hours stated below:

- Artesia, June 28, 8:00 p. m.
- Asherton, June 29, 8:00 p. m.
- Carrizo Springs, June 30, 8:00 p. m.
- Crystal City, July 1, 8:00 p. m.
- La Pryor, July 2, 8:00 p. m.
- Uvalde, July 3, 8:00 p. m.
- Sabinal, July 5, 8:00 p. m.
- D'Hanis, July 6, 8:00 p. m.
- Hondo, July 7, 8:00 p. m.

I extend an invitation to the general public, farmers especially, to hear the discussion of such topics as organization, improvement of farm conditions, diversification, co-operative marketing, home improvements and home economies and the like. Urge especially the attendance of the ladies.

Will you kindly lend the State of Texas your aid in securing a good attendance at these meetings?
Very truly yours,
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Listen to me! Take no more sickening, salivating calomel when bilious or constipated. Don't lose a day's work! Calomel is mercury or quicksilver which causes necrosis of the bones. Calomel, when it comes into contact with your bile crashes into it, breaking it up. This is when you feel that awful nausea and "all knocked out," if your liver is torpid and bowels constipated or you have headache, dizziness, coated tongue, if breath is bad or stomach sour just take a spoonful of harmless Dodson's Liver Tone on my guarantee.
Here's my guarantee—Go to any drug store and get a 50 cent bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone. Take a spoonful tonight and if it doesn't straighten you right up and make you feel fine and vigorous by morning I want you to go back to the store and get your money. Dodson's Liver Tone is destroying the sale of calomel because it is real liver medicine; entirely vegetable, therefore it can not salivate or make you sick.
I guarantee that one spoonful of Dodson's Liver Tone will put your sluggish liver to work and clean your bowels of that sour bile and constipated waste which is clogging your system and making you feel miserable. I guarantee that a bottle of Dodson's Liver Tone will keep your entire family feeling fine for months. Give it to your children. It is harmless; doesn't gripe and they like its pleasant taste.

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The scientific combination of Cream and Powder. Delightful in appearance and pleasing in its effect. Used during the day it is a protection from the sun and wind. In the evening its use assures a faultless complexion.
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Notice.

The following are extracts taken from letters on file in our office:

We do not believe that light weight cotton sacks will hold maize as it takes something pretty strong to hold it.—From a Houston Grain Co.

We have heretofore used 9 oz. burlap sacks for maize and do not believe the trade will take these cotton sacks. They will not hold out in shipping. The mouths of sacks tear out and cause great loss to the shipper. From A San Antonio Grain Co.

We do not believe the cotton sacks will prove at all satisfactory and will prevent lots of sales. We shipped a car of oats in cotton sacks and the car lost 1500 pounds from bursted sacks. Use not less than 9 oz. burlap sacks. From A San Antonio Grain Co.

Our experience with cotton bags has been that they are too light and the loss from bursted sacks in shipping will be great. We strongly recommend the use of burlap sacks as they prove cheaper in the long run. From A San Antonio Grain Co.

The above letters are from Grain Companies who handle most of the grain from this section. 9-oz. burlap sacks will only cost you about 1 cent per hundred pounds more than cotton sacks, and you will more than get it back in the price of your maize.

HONDO COMMISSION CO.

How Paint

The first cost of a good job of paint—Devoe—is \$50 (average size, of course). The first cost of a second or third or fourth rate job, \$55 to \$100.

The wear is likewise. The better you paint, of course, the longer it wears. And the more you pay for your job, the shorter it wears!

Devoe is one of a dozen good paints. There are hundreds of bad ones. As likely as not, Devoe is the only good one in this town.

DEVOE

Holiway Bros. sell it.

For Sale.

I have for sale 100 bushels of squaw corn suitable for planting in June or July. Very prolific, yielding as high as 50 bushels per acre. Stands dry weather fine, as many as 7 suckers coming from one grain and produces fair size ears, grows about 5½ to 6 feet high. I aim to plant about 15 acres first rain in July. Will deliver at Hondo at \$1.75 per bushel.

PARKER BURGIN,
Yancey, Texas.

At the Presbyterian Church.

Rev. C. S. Long, the pastor, preaches at 11 o'clock, a. m., every 4th Sunday. Rev. C. M. Licklider preaches every 1st Sunday at the same hour. Presbyterian Sunday School at 10 o'clock a. m., every Sunday. The public is invited to attend all of the services of the church.

Notice.

This is to notify the public that I will not be responsible for any debts made by my wife, Carrie L. Hardt. 47-1f. H. G. HARDT.

HOW TO VOTE ON THE AMENDMENTS.

Below is the official ballot to be voted the 24th of July:

The one separating the A. & M. College from the University, is the last one. Those who favor separation will cross out:

"Against Amendment to Article," etc., as indicated at the bottom of the ballot.

OFFICIAL BALLOT.

FOR AMENDMENT to Section 2, of Article 6, of the Constitution, authorizing qualified voters to vote in precincts other than the precinct of their residence under certain conditions.

AGAINST AMENDMENT to Section 2, of Article 6, of the Constitution, authorizing qualified voters to vote in precincts other than the precinct of their residence under certain conditions.

FOR THE AMENDMENT of Article 5, Section 2, of the Constitution, providing that the Supreme Court of this State shall consist of a Chief Justice, and four Associate Justices, describing their qualifications, tenure of office and compensation.

AGAINST THE AMENDMENT of Article 5, Section 2, of the Constitution, providing that the Supreme Court of this State shall consist of a Chief Justice, and four Associate Justices, describing their qualifications, tenure of office and compensation.

FOR AMENDMENT to Section 9, Article 8, of the Constitution, authorizing the levy and collection of a special road tax not to exceed fifty cents on the hundred dollars valuation of property in any county, subdivision or subdivisions, or defined district thereof, when same has been authorized by a majority of the qualified electors at an election held for that purpose.

AGAINST THE AMENDMENT to Section 9, Article 8, of the Constitution, authorizing the levy and collection of a special road tax not to exceed fifty cents on the hundred dollars valuation of property in any county, subdivision or subdivisions, or defined district thereof, when same has been authorized by a majority of the qualified electors at an election held for that purpose.

FOR THE AMENDMENT to Section 3, of Article 7, of the Constitution, adding thereto Section 3b, authorizing the Commissioners' Court to create a Students' Loan Fund.

AGAINST THE AMENDMENT to Section 3, of Article 7, of the Constitution, adding thereto Section 3b, authorizing the Commissioners' Court to create a Students' Loan Fund.

FOR AMENDMENT of Section 52 of Article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for levee, drainage, road and other public improvements, and for taxes therefor.

AGAINST THE AMENDMENT of Section 52 of Article 3, of the Constitution, authorizing the issuance of bonds for levee, drainage, road and other public improvements, and for taxes therefor.

FOR AMENDMENT to Article 7, of the Constitution of the State of Texas providing for the separation of the University of the State of Texas and the Agricultural and Mechanical College and an equitable division of the University lands.

AGAINST AMENDMENT to Article 7, of the Constitution of the State of Texas providing for the separation of the University of the State of Texas and the Agricultural and Mechanical College and an equitable division of the University lands.

Notice.

On and after June 1st we will be open day and night. CARTER & HAASS.

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The quality of food is very largely determined by the ingredients in the baking powder with which it is made. Cream of tartar baking powders, such as Royal, add only healthful qualities to the food.

The cream of tartar of Royal Baking Powder as used in food has the same wholesome effect on the digestive system as the cream of tartar in grapes, from which it is derived.

In like manner it is in evidence that the unwholesome effects of alum, which is a mineral acid salt, exist in food made with alum baking powder.

There is a clause on baking powder labels which names all the ingredients. Read it and let it guide you.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO.
New York

T. B. C. Club Resurrected.

The public may think the T. B. C. club is a thing of the past but those who attended the picture show Monday night know it is not—they have just been recuperating from a wedding in their family.

Miss Mary Kempf, one of our most enthusiastic members, entertained Monday night with a picture show party. The show was very good and so were the girls as "Mary" told them good behavior meant something good afterwards—perhaps a red soda divided between two or three. When they reached the cream parlor and saw the sign "Cream 90 a gal" those who could multiply readily thought "red soda for us." But Mary was wise and understood better than the poor green boy so cream they had.

The party consisted of Misses Mary Kempf, Abbie and Nita Bradley, Bessie Mae Chancey, Emabel Rogers, Nettie Woods, Johanna Rothe, Lola Buchanan, Nettie Mae and Pearl Newton and Mrs. P. L. Crain.

CONTRIBUTED.

Playing Cards.

The origin of playing cards is uncertain, although it is probable that they appeared in Europe in 1350. It is asserted, however, that the Arabs, Saracens or Moors introduced them into Europe by way of Spain. They are said to have been brought from the country of the Saracens to Viterbo, in Italy, in 1379. The earliest known mention of European cards occurs in 1392. Early in the fifteenth century the use of playing cards spread all over Europe. A duty was first placed on playing cards in England in 1615. It is estimated that about 15,000,000 packs are annually manufactured in the United States.—Indianapolis News.

Notice.

July 1st, or as soon thereafter as possible, will open a 5, 10, 15, 20, and 25c store in Frerichs' Building, next door to First National Bank and will appreciate a good big portion of business along lines that I handle. Very respectfully, J. F. DILWORTH.

House wrecking is a profitable business, but home wrecking is another story.

Some After-thoughts.

A smooth bore is one from whom you cannot escape.

If you get up every time you fall there is no disgrace in it.

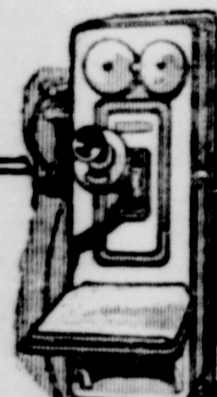
Some people are so belligerent they even want to fight the war tax.

About the simplest way to improve on nature is to powder your nose.

Of course a man can eat onions and live—but why should he do either?

Some men are so indignant about tight money they proceed to get tight.

It's funny to hear a married man talk about free speech when he is away from home.—Macon Telegraph.



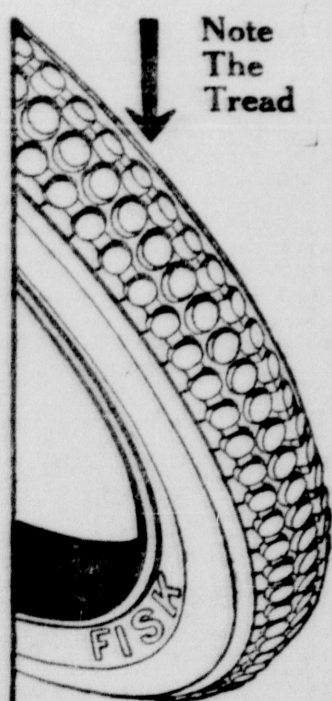
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